



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of

Gregory Shirin et al.

Serial No.: 10/662,020

Filed: September 11, 2003

For: MECHANISM FOR
AUTOMATICALLY
ESTABLISHING A RESOURCE
GRID

Confirmation Number: 8580

Group Art Unit: 2162

Examiner: Dennis Y. Myint

Mail Stop Amendment

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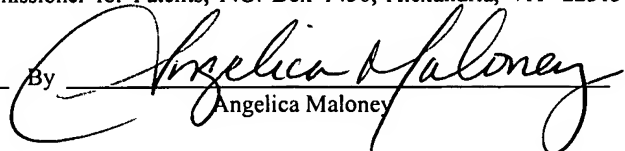
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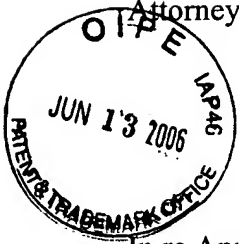
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 9, 2006, the shortened statutory period for which runs until June 9, 2006. The Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in light of the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2.

Remarks begin at page 16.